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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP ART UNIT 1745**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

*In re* Patent Application of:

Yong-Tae KIM, et. al.

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For: **NEGATIVE ELECTRODE FOR LITHIUM BATTERY AND LITHIUM BATTERY  
COMPRISING SAME**

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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 16, 2007 ("Office Action"),  
Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following  
Remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 10.

Applicants believe that no extensions of time are required at this time. If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). Applicants believe that no further fees for net addition of claims are required at this time. Any fees required for further extensions of time and any fees for the net addition of claims are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-3698.